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Weather can't dampen fans' enthusiasm

Editor's note: Because of early Memorial Day deadlines for the paper, race results will appear in Thursday's Granite City Press-Record. By Scott Cousins Staff writes

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Staff writer

Everybody was cooperating. Everybody but Mother Nature. Thunderstorms canceled most of the afternoon action
Thursday at Gateway International Raceway in Madison, and rain and storm clouds Friday continued to cause delays.
By 10:30 a.m. Friday, workers were busy trying to dry off the track, according to spokesman Pete Wickham.
An estimated 60:000 fans were expected to come to Saturday's and track, according to spokesman Pete Wickham.
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Top: Bud Car driver Richie Hearn of the Della Penna Motorsports team brings his Ford Cosworth around one of the turns during CART FedEx practice Thursday. Above left: Fans crowd the main grandstand to watch practice sessions. Above right: Ralf Lueffler and his father Kurt Lueffler, both from near Frankfurt, Germany, walk behind the main grandstand.

Mill death ruled accidental

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A man described by co-workers as "a great, stand up guy" died while trying to free a stubborn conveyor belt

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Port hearing at Granite City Steel Co., a coroner's jury was told at an inquest Thursday. Samuel J. Burch, 46, of the 100 block of Hollyhock Lane in Edwardsville, was killed when scheduled

Bond issue on agenda

By Scott Kelly Staff writer

The Tri-City Regional Port District is looking to refinance a 1988 bond ordinance.

PORT public hearing on the bond issue and other port matters is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. May 26 at the port district office, 2801 Rock Road.

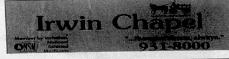
The Port District Board will be considering several new projects, all designed to

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The official beginning of summer

Elizabeth Szymcek vacuums the floor of the Wilson Park Swimming Pool to get it ready for this weekend's opening while her daughter Gabrielle, 6, and nephew Aaron Wright, 5, take an early dip in the shallow end.





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Holiday remains important

Despite Memorial Day's official observed date being moved from year to year, often causing confusion as to when a borden causing confusion as to when a borden is a significant of the 18-year-old holiday remains quite constant.

While Americans are enjoying one of the most economically stable periods in our young nation's history, it is crucial that we never fail to remember how the freedoms and liberties that we have were won. Certainly, it is the away were work to be the completely justifiable when measured against the yardstick of democratic ethics. And, no one can successfully argue that protesters and staunch opponents of the military or the actions to which the armed services of the United States have been orderedhave not been instrumental in shaping this republic for the better, as well.

well.

Still, the fallability of the human race on occasion results in war. And, when as a people we find ourselves in military conflicts, we must treasure above all the young men and women of our armed services whose very lives may hang in the balance.

So as we were the still the strength of the str

ce. as we make plans to celebrate this weekend, reflect on the y you have and consider those who will not be home for So, as we man proceed the second of the holday in the holday in these times of peace as we honor our fallen heroes, take time to pray for and thank those living sentinels of life, liberty and happiness.

Have a safe and happy Memorial Day.

Letters to the editor

Use the lotion

TO THE EDITOR:
Skin cancer has become a major public health problem in the United States. At the current rate, one in five Americans will develop skin cancer during their lifetime. Since overexposure to the sun is the primary cause, understanding the methods for protection and prevention of skin cancer are critically important. TO THE EDITOR:

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A recent widely reported study, by a researcher at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, incorrectly claimed that sunscreens do not protect against skin cancer. Due tool is succeed to the sunscreens of the state of the sunscreens of the sunscreens of the sunscreens of the sunscreens of the sunscreens. How important is it for people to continue to use sunscreen? Consider this: If only 10 percent of Americans who are now using sunscreen stop, an additional 1 million cases of skin cancer could be expected in the next several decades. If parents stop putting sunscreen on their children, the number of new skin cancers could jump to tens of millions as we go into the next century.

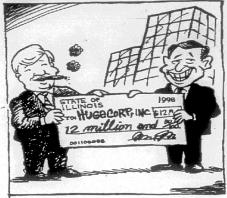
cancers could jump to tens of minimum century.

The study looked at patients who were using sunscreens before 1890, well before broad-spectrum, Sun Protection Factor 15 became widely available in 1984. There is a period of at least 10 c 20 years from sun exposure to the clinical appearance of skin cancer. Sunscreens would have had little impact on the patients

Many well-documented studies from notable organizations such as the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (Food and Drug Administration), the American Academy of Pediatrics, the American Cancer Society and the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Society and the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Society and the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Society and the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Society of Plastic Society Society

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PATE PHILIP HANDS OUT TAX BREAKS ...





Anti-smoking forces lack moral

The other day, I saw four teens stroll by my window. Not of them looked of the same of the

for 20 years has told young people to make their own choices.

The same elite now tears its hair out as its rantings about the search of the s

But the anti-tobacco horse is lame, and it'll be fun watching those who ... ride it getting nowhere in a hurry.

increases). But the anti-tobacco horse is lame, and it'll be fun watching those who mean to ride it getting nowhere in a hurry. President Bill Clinton, Vice President Bill Clinton, Vice Congressman Dick Gephardt and the rest have forgotten that in order to scare people, you must make them think someone's taking something from them. Good luck trying to buffall bely smice dulled the some constitution of the control of the co

purchase
My mom and dad might be
alive today had they not been
lifetong smokers. I miss them.
But they chose to induge a
which were known decades
before tobacco companies were
forced to institute warning
labels.
The tobacco question frames

forced to institute warning labels.

The tobacco question frames the essence of what it means to live in a free society. With freedom comes responsibility. Free citizens have the right to make bad choices — be it having a child out of wedlock, failing to spend one's money wisely, abusing drugs or

smoking — so long as they are willing to face the

smoking — so long as they are willing to face the Some will say, "What about second-hand smoke? Should I have to breathe smoke if I have to breathe smoke if I have to breathe smoke if I choose not to?" In many cases, you shouldn't (even if there is no scientific (even if there is no scientific to health problems). Public to health problems). Public buildings, buildings owned by companies with no-smoking policies and homes owned by nonsmokers rightfully ought to be smoke-fred me bars, restaurants or outdoor sports arenas where people choose to go on their own volition should have policies dictated to them by politicians who are sore that RJ Reynolds didn't pony campaigns.

The tobacco story is really

campaigns.
The tobacco story is really The tobacco story is really about money. Tobacco companies don't funnel enough cash to the political left; thus, the selective outrage by the left-leaning media. Where were civil libertarians hiding when attorneys general from across the country

Parking at Front Door

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conspired to launch the boldest assault on free speech in U.S. history? The suicide note they want tobacco companies to sign reads in part that they must let the government edit their advertising. If the tobacco settlement is approved to the settlement is approved have to eliminate the Stetson-sporting cowboy from outdoor signs because it "makes the product look too enticing." Gee, I always thought that was the goal of advertising.

thought that was the goal of advertising. Should Congress impose this politically driven ultimatum, what industry would be next? Will beer commercials be banned? Will fast-food chains be forced to pay the health costs of customers who get cating too much fatty food? Will home builders have to label aluminum siding to warn buyers that brick homes retain their value longer?

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Pair charged in theft at Lanter Co.

Two Granite City men wer charged Wednesday with the theft of more than \$10,000 worth of equipment from Lanter Co.

Michael S. Romeo, 24, of the 2500 block of 28th Street, and David C. Moerlien, 26, of the 2400 block of Logan Street,

were each charged with one count of theft over \$10,000 by the Madison County State's Attorney's office. According to reports, the men allegedly stole between Nov. 7, 1997 and April 1, 1998 numerous appliances such as TVs and video equipment such

Bail has been set at \$40,000

Port district plans future projects

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improve the facility and make way for future business, said Day Wydra, executive dieteor.

One project includes providing sewer and water lines plus a rail spur to serve a new steel-treating facility as well as provide furnished sites for the future, he said. Robinson Steel Co. and National Steel Corp. have

of National.
Groundbreaking for the new steel facility at the port is set for June 4. The joint venture company will be called National Robinson L.L.C., and will produce an expected 200,000 tons annually of RPS product, a high quality product with flatness tolerances the highest in the industry.
Other projects planned for the port include improvements to dry bulk material dock No. 2, such as a new hydrolic

2, such as a new hydrolic backhoe and modifications of

the existing building. Improvements are planned for dry bulk material handling dock No. 1, including new tripods for holding barges while they are loaded, improvements to the rail receiving pits and building are also planned. The projects are expected to cost at lead \$3.2 million, Wydra said, and they better serve its customers.

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arrived said they were very pleased with the facility.
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"Twe got passes for both practice sessions and the race on Saturday, or saturday, or saturday, or saturday, but my brother-in-law is going to use the tickets tomorrow, "he said." I plan to be here as much as I can."

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"It's wonderful; this is really nice," he said.
"I'm into drag racing, but I love all sports.
"I kind of like the way the stands are set up with the pits right here in front of everything so you can see," he added.

everything so you can see," he added. Ralf Lueffler and his father, Kurt Lueffler, traveled a little farther to see the racing action.

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The two, from a town near Frankfurt, Germany, were spending part of a month-long vacation at the race track.

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vacation," said Ralf. "We're landing in Chicago and driving Route 66 right to LA."

"I'm a great fan of Formula 1 and Indy car racing," he said.

"I saw the signs (advertising the race) and said, "That we must see."

Smokers have political edge

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can't have them. A political unlikelihood and a practical unlikelihood, too, considering the tax loot tobacco generates. A legal substance can be sold and advertised, period. Many view smoking as a vice. but moral persuasion beats legislative chicken-hawking any day as a means of fighting

who have surrendered three decades of moral ground expect to recapture that ground in time to make an anti-smoking stand? The fight Big Tobacco is waging against the Anti-Smoking Reich is the Joseph Camel's.

Joe Leicht is the Waterloo editor of the Clarion Journal.

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ELSIE (PERRY) VANCE, 87, of Madison died Thursday, May 21, 1986, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

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Services were Saturday, May 23, aski) Dyjeski.

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Madisagney's Catholic Church im officiating, Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glen Carbon.

Memorials may be made to the Thomas Memorial Mortuary handled the arrangements.

Hall sentenced to death

Convicted murdered shows little emotion

By Paul Mackie Telegraph staff writer

Showing no emotion as the verdict was read Wednesday in the Madison County Courthouse, Felipe Lamont Hall was sentenced to death by lethal injection.

Hall was sentenced to death by lethal injection.

The same jury that found Hall guilty of two counts of first-degree murder the work of the same jury that the same jury the same jury that the same jury t

years. Hall, formerly of Pine Lawn,

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Mo., had a criminal record that included eight felony convictions in Colorado, which the defense said probably played a part in the jury's decision.

played a part in the jury's decision.

"There's been a grawe miscarriage of justice," said defense attorney Lyndon P. and the fense attorney Lyndon P. a lot of the jury's consideration was based upon his past, more so than the evidence we brought out pointing to somebody else.

"Hall was found the limits," the limits of the murders of two women—Christina M. Masters, 20, of Maryland Heights, and Samantha L. Beasley, 17, of St. Granite City in 1994.

Prosecutors said Masters was Hall's former girlfriend. The two had been involved in a dispute about a car they had bought together, prosecutors

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said.

They said that fight led to the murder of both Masters the murder of both Masters who was in the wrong time. When we was the was the word was the word was the word was the first was the word was the jury's decision. They was the was the

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Elliot Dine

Warriors rally to win

Granite overcomes four-run deficit vs. Althoff

Sometimes, mistakes are not a big deal when you're able to correct them. That's what the PREP Granite City.

Wednesday when it dearn learned to the war of the correct and the

in the game." Warriors coach Gus
Lignoul said. "We gave Althoff a lot of
help and they went up four runs."
Granite City senior Paul Kacera was
the starting pitcher but he was
replaced in the second inning by Steve
Ward who, along with winning pitcher
Chip Papp, held the Crusaders in check
until the Warriors were able to piece
themselves back together
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the warriors trailed 4.1 when they
resumed the rally in the fourth inning.
Senior Jeff Hayden started the spree
with a bunt basehit. Senior Dustin
Brewer pushed Hayden along with a

single and Millas drove in both runners to make the score 4-3. Senior John Kelly continued the inning with a single that scored Millas, and Dustin Murphy put the Warriors ahead with his basehit. Brian Kamaeulski capped the rally with an Kamaeulski capped the rally with a Ward and Papp pitched well for us," Lignoul said. "They kept us in the game They held Althoff back until we could put a rally together. Then or us," came in and closed the door of the country of the Crusaders were not as fortunate as the Warriors when it came to

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Taking the turn

Dario Franchitti of Team KOOL Green drives through turns three and four Thursday during the morning practice session for the Motorola 500 at Gateway International Raceway. The afternoon practice session for the CART FedEx Championship Series event was rained out.

Granite City beaten in extra innings

Warriors seeded sixth in sectional

The Granite City Warriors softball team battled for eight innings Wednesday PREP SOFTBALL.

Welcze Bullders

Waterloo Bulldogs.

"It was a close game,"
Warriors coach Deb
Germann said. "We thought
we could have won."
The Warriors coach Deb
Germann said. "We thought
we could have won."
The Warrior denseady's
game against Waterloo
without ace pitcher Jessica
Stratman, who was being
rested because of nagging
shoulder problem.
"Stratman's had come
problem."
"It's really been bothering
her for quit a while. We just
had to go with someon
else."
Without Stratman's
services, the Warriors used
backup pitcher Jessica
Reader against the Bulldogs.

eader did a fine job for us."Deb Germann Warriors coach

'Reader did a fine job for '' Germann said.

"Reader did a fine job for us," Germann said.

After spotting the Bulldogs two runs in the first inning, the Warriors fought back as the first in the said of the first should be seen that the Bulldogs came back with a run of their own in the bottom of the seventh and forced the game into ...

The Warriors could have taken the lead in the eighth with runners on second and third and one out. The Warriors' Robyn Slate went the ball to center field but the runner on third took off for home without tagging and the Bulldogs made it a

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The Granite City softball team rested Jessica Stratman (above) for Wednesday's game with Waterloo.

Reaching great heights

Kirgan's success in wrestling keeps him on the road

By Jason Sharp Staff writer

Wrestling has done a lot for Granite City High School sophomore George Kirgan.

It has taken him to places of which most people conduction and introduced him to many new people.

Wrestling has also given Kirgan a strong sense of identity and taught him that hard work is the key to success.

Ringan a strong sense of hard hard work is the key to success. It a years old, then success. It a years old, then success. It a years old, then success experienced by Kliffsan in the sport of wreatling is almost mind-boggling wice won the school's Laurence McCauley award, an honor presented to the Warriors wrestler with the most pins at the end of the varsity seasons with the most pins at the end of the varsity seasons while posting an overall record of 46-3 in the 171 pound class. Kirgan had 23 pins his freshman year. "He's a standout," Warriors coach Mike Gad and there's never any trouble with him. He does the extra things that it takes it to be a winner." On top of the numerous state and national tournaments Kirgan has competed in, last with the Cadet World Team and placed seventh in the world in Greco-Roman style wrestling. Kirgan trained for the Slovenia tournament at the U.S. ord of Springs. "Wrestling's a one-on-one sport," Kirgan said. "You win on your own and when you lose

Althoff's Venorsky battles back from injury

A frustrating senior year for Althoff's Janet Venorsky has gotten a lot better in recent weeks

gotten a lot better in recent weeks.

A three-sport standout for the Crusaders, Venorsky missed most of the basketball season after of the basketball season after of the softball season, but returned to action earlier this month. In late April, she signed a letter of intent to play softball next season at Saint Louis University.

University.

Tokools, "I dat a ton of schools," Venorsky said. "At the beginning of the year, I was talking to Ball State, McKendree, Lindenwood

academic reputation was another factor in Venorsky's decision.

"It's very prestigious to even be looke SLU. I'm definitely looking forward to next year," she said. "I'm considering a major in health information management and going into occupational therapy as a sophomore. With all the therapy I've gone through the said. "I'm some selection of the said in the said." I'm some selection in the said in the said. "I'm some selection in the said in the said in the said of the said in t

open. Law school possibility.
"(SLU softball coach) Jim

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Althoff senior Janet Venorsky has seven RBI in her first seven games back from injury.



Dutchmen bow out in regional tournament

Belleville Area College concludes season with 45 victories

The Belleville Area College baseball team fell two victories short of reaching the national tournament, but the Dutchmen had another soild season.

BAC (45-15-2) was soild season.

BAC (45-15-2) was eliminated from the North Central Regional

Tournament in Controlled and the Soild season.

BAC (45-15-2) was eliminated from the North Central Regional at 2-10 loss to Indian Hills controlled and the Soild season.

Tournament in Controlled and the Soild season.

Tournament in Controlled and the North Central Regional at 2-10 loss to Indian Hills later that day. The Dutchmen would have needed to win twice on Sunday to advance to the NJCAA World Series.

"We played pretty well, but we din Neil Fials said enough to win when the Neil Fials said the game. Ben Margalski hit a three-run homer in the fifth to tie it at 7-7 and Interest in the bottom of the sixth to make it 10-9 and a two-run homer in the sixth to make it 10-9 and a two-run homer in the sixth to make it 10-9 and a two-run homer in the sixth to make it 10-9 and a two-run homer in the seventh to go up 11-10.

They go one more run in the sign of the least outfields I've

seen in college baseball, and their speed made a difference. The ran down a few balls that were destined for the gaps. But our pitching was as good as or a little better than theirs. "We still had a good year. We had 40 or we won the (Great Rivers We also won our fourthe third straight year and we won the Great Rivers We also won our fourthe third straight year wand we had been straight year and we won the Great Rivers We also won our fourthe that the given won a regional title two of the last three years."

BAC had a 342 team batting average with 73 home runs. The pitching staff had a 2.85 ERA. "Our first win this year was my 200th win at BAC, so we've averaged 40 wins over five years," Filals asid. "Considering we won 24 games the first year, we made up some ground."

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BAC's high-powered offense was led by Belleville West graduate Brian Fuess, who followed a record-setting fresh made as the property of the pr

our first win this year was my 200th win at BAC, so we've averaged 40 wins over five years.

Neil Fiala BAC baseball

Margalski, a freshman catcher from House Springs, Mo., Northwest batted .387 with eight homers and 37 RBIs. John Rheinecker, a freshman from Gibault, batted .354 with nine horners and 38 RBIs. Other offensive standouts were:

were:

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waterloo (.3c3 seven home runs, 31 RBIs).

Bryan Beckmann, a freshman from Rosary
High of St. Louis (.356, 15 doubles, 32 RBIs).

The top sophomore on the pitching staff was
Ryan Warnecke from Highland, who posted an
A-4 record with a 2.49 ERA. The Dutchmen had
three solid freshman starters in Rheinecker
(8-1, 2.43), 2.56 lb. East gyrunger.

Musso (6-1, 2.56) and Greenville graduate Ryan
Curry (7-1, 2.18).

"Mike Feit (a sophomore from Barrington) was our fifth starter," Fiala said. "John Frech (a freshman from Sparta) became our closer in the bullpen on the start of the start o

spot starters.
"Defensively, we were a Jekyll and Hyde team. At times we were outstanding, but there were four or five games where we were absolutely horrible. Twice we had seven errors and a couple other times we had five or six." After BAC's season ended, Fiala wasted no time in hitting the recruiting trail.

time in hitting the recruiting trail.

"Every year in junior college, you lose half of your guys," he said. "You just try to get good players and piece them together. Fials has already signed five plaers signed for next season: pitchers Ber (Gibault), infielder/outfielder/aufichyan Tribout (Althoff), outfielder Brody Jackson (Northwest House Springs) and catcher/outfielder Tim Dirkes (Mehlville).

Southern Illinois Soccer League camp set for June 22-26

Fossen Soccer Fields in Various ville. The day camp, with international coaches, is geared toward the serious soccer player ages 6 to 17. Proceeds benefit the SISL Coccer player ages 6 to 17. Proceeds benefit the SISL Coccer player ages 6 to 17. Proceeds benefit the SISL Coccer player ages 6 to 17. Proceeds the SISL Coccer player ages 6 to 17. Proceeding the SISL Coccer player ages 10. Proceeding the SISL Coc

The Warrior Pride Stride 5-kilometer run and 2-mile frun/walk is set for June 13 at Granite City High School. The 5K run begins at 9 a.m. and the 2K event at 9:45 a.m. at the Fehling Road parking lot by the east entrance to the high school.

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Infly school to the list \$9 before June 6; \$11 on race day. T-shirts will be included for the first 300 entries. The event benefits the Granuel Claim of the first 300 entries. The included for the first 300 entries. The event benefits the Granuel Claim of the Granuel Claim of the Granuel Claim of the Granuel Claim of the Granuel City High School, 3101 Madison Ave., Granuel City, IL, 62040; or call 451-5908.

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School Association.
For Collinsville students,
physicals are set for May 27,
July 28 and July 29 at 800 St.
Louis Road, Collinsville
Saint Elizabeth Sports
Medicine at 798-3943.

Prairie State Games
Elite teams in basketball,

soccer and volleyball are now forming for the Southwestern North Region for the 15th annual Prairie State Games scheduled for June 26-28 in Southwestern Illinois.

There will be four teams—One Men, when and Scholastic Women—in each of the four sports. The Open division is for players beyond the 12th grade, while the Scholastic division is for players who are in grades 8-12 for the set of the four sports. The Open division is for players who are in grades 8-12 for the set of the s

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Middle School, 145 West Street.

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For more information on the

pSG, call the team contact

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Lutheran Day

The 22nd annual Lutheran
Day at Busch Stadium will be
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The Cardinform of the Cardinform of the Cardinform of the Colorado
Rockies, followed by exhibition
games involving the four local
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Including Metro East
Lutheran.
Tickets are \$11, and schools
receive some of the proceeds
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Softball tournaments

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three games guaranteed
(weather permitting).
Tomahawks Summer Sizzler
Girls Fastpitch Softball
Tournament, July 17. The entry
fee is \$150 per team, with
three games guaranteed
(weather permitting).
For more information, call
538-7738.

Baseball tournament

Baseball tournament
Fairview Heights will play
host to the first National
Amateur Baseball Federation
Classic National basebages 12
and under June 14-21.
The Classic is an open
tournament and is seeking up
to 32 teams to participate.
There is a five-grave for the championship round
additional games possible for
teams which do not advance to
the championship round.
Registration fees are \$525
per team. For more
information, call 698-931-9220.

Baseball days

Card Show will be held July 18-19 at Longacre Park in Fairview Heights.
The show is in cooperation with the World Baseball bart of the "AA." World Baseball Championship, to be held July 10-19 at Longacre Park. It is the highest-level youth baseball tournament in the world for players from across the globe will compete for the gold medal.

For more information, call 236-1768.

Golf tourney

Golf tourney

The sixth annual Collinsville
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will be awarded to the top
three finishers in each of three
flights, according to
tournament general chairman
Registration is \$75 per
golfer. The event is limited to
144 golfers.
For entry information, call
Ostanik at 345-9565. Entry
forms are also available at
local golf clubs.

Play Day
The Tri-Cities Area Chamber
of Commerce announces the
41st annual Play Day on June
1 at Legacy Golf Course.
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prospective members are
interest and chicken) and plenty of
prizes. Fees are as follows:
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\$50; Cookout only, \$25. There
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by May 25.

BAC softball camps

BAC baseball camps

BAC baseball camps
Bays ages 7-17 can learn or
increase their baseball
tundamentals this summer at
Belleville Area College's
Belleville campus, 2500 Carlyle
Ave., as BAC baseball coach
Neil Fiala conducts his annual
summer camps during June
and July.
235-2700, extension 2711.

Kahoks camps

Dates have been set for the 16th annual Kahoks basketball camp, the ninth annual Kahoks baseball camp and the fourth annual Kahoks softball camp by the coaches at Collinsville Harbert State (Salvan 1998) and the coaches at Collinsville Salvan 1999 and 1999 an

is slated to run in conjunction with the baseball camp—
June 8-12, 9 a.m.-noon each day. The camp is open to any girl currently playing T-ball to those who have completed the conducted by Collinsville varsity softball coach Sara Thurwalker.

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* The Kahoks basketball camp will be divided into two sessions. The first is a various camp (June 201 daily for boys 12-14. The fee is \$75, or \$140 for \$69 p.m. July 20-24 for ages 10-14. Fee is \$75, or \$140 for \$650.

Junior golf tourney

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Optimist ages 14-18; they
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and girls ages 14-18; they
cannot be 19 prior to July 25
and must reach age 14 by the
same date. The entry deadline
is May 28. Players may enter
by calling Doug at 277-7m.

The cost is \$18 per players
and is payable at check-in
time the day of the
tournament. For tee times,
call 233-3363 the afternoon of
May 30.

Weber takes the helm of SIU-Carbondale basketball

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Wiedenhofer dazzled with the New York of his Super Bowl rings earned as an NFL assistant and with his communication skills. His cenure at Mizzou though was one for the books (12-31 in four years) to say the least does better to hoping Webed of the New York of

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An additional value of Weber at Purdue was that he was the university's summer basketball camp director... SIUC was 14-16 in Herrin's final season... Six-foot-nine Chris Thunell of O'Fallon, the MVC Newcomer of the Year last season as a sophomore transfer, will be among the key returnees for the Salukis.



Grand opening

The 1997-98 high school hockey season has ended but the U.S. Ice Sports Complex in Fairview Heights invited some local teams to play a part in last weekend's grand opening of the complex with some exhibition games. Above, Althoff and O'Fallon do battle in exhibition action.

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Warriors eye postseason

GCHS drops regular season finale against Althoff

By Jason Sharp Staff writer

It's been a week of mixed motions for the Granite

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School tennis

team.
After the Warriors finished their regular season Tuesday with a 7-2 loss at Althoffers seeded Wednesday in the Belleville West Sectional. Steve Graham and Andy Balcer were the only Warriors to be placed in Friday's Belleville West sectional tournament. Graham drew the third seed of the first quarter singles seeded in the second quarter of singles play.
"We're going with Graham as a our No. 1 single." Warriors coach Allen Lobdell said. "Andy Balcer will be our No. 2."
While the Warriors are disappointed with the loss at Althoff, they believe their

'If things go true to form, we expect Graham to hold the seed in the semifinals. He's been playing really solid

Allen Lobdell Granite City coach

best tennis is still ahead of them.

"If things go true to form, we expect Graham to hold the seed in the semifinals. He's been playing really solid tennis. He should get the third or fourth process to the semifinal of the sectional. The semifinal surprise. He's got to play some tough matches but he could do well."

The Warriors were scheduled to begin play in the Belleville West Sectional at 4 p.m. Friday.

Venorsky battles back from knee injury

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Malloy has signed a couple
girls from St. Louis and
Hayden will also be going
there. (Lebanon pitcher)
Nicole Bohnenstiehl (who has
signed with Southern
Mississippi) will play against
we're playing together this
summer (with the St. Charles
Patriots)."
Venorsky injured her knee in
a Dec. 20 basketball game at
Betalouis and the st. Charles
Patriots."
Use my ACL. — I stopped
short and it just popped." she
said. "I had surgery Feb. 9. I
switched doctors and my new
doctor (Rick Lehman of St.

Louis) said to get it (the surgery) done as early as possible. The medial maniscus (the cartilage in the knee) was totally shreeded. He said it looked like scramblee looked like scramblee greebefore that, but my doctor said everything looked fine. But sure enough, two weeks later f hurt it. I played basketball for exactly, one month, but I did play Okawville with a torn A Venorsky still goes to

ACL."
Venorsky still goes to
therapy three days a week.
"(Lehman) said it would be
three months (after surgery)
until I could play, and I played
May 8 against Metro East
Lutheran," she said. "Tve
played ever since and it never
gave me any pain until

(Monday). We had back-to-back doubleheaders last Friday and Saturday (against Mater Dei and Columbia) and it's still sore from that.

m that. (Lehman) said I'm at 75 to "(Lehman) said I'm at 75 w 80 percent, and obviously I'm going to be slow. A torn ACL usually takes a year to be completely healed. I'm doing great with therapy — it's made me so much stronger. I'm right where I should be."

Venorsky's sister, Cheryl, is a 1988 Belleville West graduate who went on to play softball at Southern Illinois University-Carbondale. "Ever since I was 8 years Division Jordthall." She said "Because of my sister, I grew up around it." In the first seven games after returning to the lineup, Venorsky battled. 190 (4-for-21) with seven RBI.

Where Beautiful Things Begin

Containers; the ideal solution for Small-Space Gardens by the experts

o you ever feel you're missing our on all the fun and enjoyment offer because you on't have enough space for a garden? This time of year, when a flurry of activity is taking place in the landscape, everyone wants to get in on the action.

Great news! You don't have to miss out! Even if your available space is taken up by the chaise, table and barbecue, you can still plant and enjoy.

Container gardening is the answer. People everywhere are doing it, and have been for years and years. All it takes is a suitable container, which can be just about anything that will hold water and you have a garden.

Ready-made containers can be purchased, and they're available in nearly every size, color, style and shape you can think of.

Planting in containers offers many advantages. For instance, there's less to take care of. Occasional problems that may pop up are easier to spl. wishle, Small problems are more apt to be spotted and corrected before they become big ones.

You don't have problems with the soil. The specially formulated potting soil you buy is ready to use; you don't need to add a thing.

Another advantage is the location. You can set up a container garden almost anywhere, indoors or out. Patios, balconies, decks and porches all offer great outdoor garden spots. Inside, family rooms, etc. all can become beautiful living gardens.

Any disadvantages? A few, nothing's perfect, but they're minor in nature. Container plants will have to be watered a little more often, since there's less soil to hold moisture. Same goes for feeding, but both take mere minutes.

What can be planted in a container? Anything you'd plant outside, with a few obvious exceptions. Large trees and certain veggles certainly won't work. But other than that, just about anything goes, it's up to you.

There are a few precautions to take when planning a container garden. First, a container full of plants, soil and water can get mighty heavy, so there must be a container so there must be a container so the full plants and the structure will support a few containers, but if you plan on several, make sure the structure will support the additional weight. If you live in an apartment, make sure you check with the landlord first!

Hanging baskets offer another great gardening opportunity. They can be hung from porch overhangs, walls, deck and sun room roofs ... the list goes on and on. But again, consider the weight before you hang a container up just anywhere.

Wall-mounted plant hangers must be securely tastened. Long strong wood screws should be fastened into wall studs. Never use wall anchors of any type for hanging designed to support the weight. Locate a wall stud (they're normally spaced to the hanging bracket to it; you'll be glad you did.

When hanging from ceilings, use J-hooks or eye hooks that screw directly into solid wood.

Avoid placing a hanging planter in the vicinity of computers, VCRs and the like, since it's easy to spill a little water here and there.

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Warriors win in extra innings

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atoning for their mistakes. Althoff drew a one-out walk in the sixth inning against Brewer, but the Crusaders got caught in a double play on a line out to first base.

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The Crusaders repeated the same mistake in the seventh inning and the Warriors capitalized to clinch the

"Our baserunning took us out of the game," Crusaders coach Brett Isaacs said. "If we

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didn't have those two pick-offs, we probably would have scored a run in one of those innings. We just took ourselves out of it."

The Warriors improved their verall record to 15-13 with the

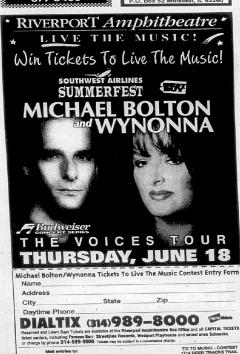
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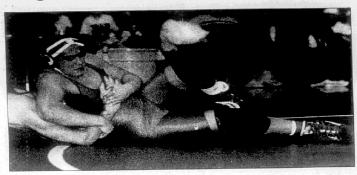
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Kirgan challenges himself with rugged wrestling schedule



Granite City sophomore George Kirgan capped a sensational season with the Warriors varsity by reaching the state meet in 1997-98 and recording the most pins for the secor consecutive season. Since the prep season ended, he placed third in the Fila-World Junior Team Trials, May 8-10 at Purdue University.

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there's no one to blame but yourself. That's what I like about it. And when you lose, it pushes you a lot more. There's a lot of competition."

Maybe that's why Kirgan spends much of the year in tournaments, wrestling opponents with more experience.

During the Fila-Junior World team trials May 8-10 at Purdue University in Indiana, Kirgan placed this the 178-pound class. His only the 178-pound class. His wester from the U.S. Army who eventually took first in the team trials.

took first in the team trials.
"George has wrestled everywhere," Warriors assistant coach Tom Blaha said. "He's faced some of the best wrestlers in the country. He goes to every tournament he can. Experience like that will help him more than any will have been to appear to the company of th

compete in a freestyle tournament.

While Kirgan may come off as an intense wrestler, he is still a kid who is able to enjoy himself and appreciate the unique experiences. "I really like meet the unique experiences and "That's on the best things about it were the best things about the westler was a round the world, from places like Japan and Bulgaria. It was really interesting talking to them. I learned about what their lives were like and how different

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Tom Blaha Granite City assistant coach

things can be for people. We didn't even really talk about wrestling. While wrestlings taken Kirgan around the way close to home.

"I get my inspiration from my dad (Al Kirgan, He's been my coach since I first-started wrestling when I was 8 years old. He's always been there to help me. He wrestled in high school and in the military and taught me."

"We're very proud of him," Al Kirgan said, "George works hard at getting into shape. He's always training. I think the sky's the limit for him."

The sky may be the limit, but the young Kirgan is reaching for it one day at a time. "I try to enjoy myself," Kirgan said. "I like spending time with my friends and just taking it easy, just like anybody else. But I would like to get a scholarship and wrestle in college. After that I'd like to get to the Olympics. It was incredible at the Olympic training center. I had a lot of fun."

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fast as the scoreboard operator could tally the latest goal. The Collinsville girls The Collinsville girls The Collinsville girls Collinsville girls and the Collinsville girls Collinsville girls and the Collinsville girls Collinsville girls and the Collinsville girls and the Collinsville girls worked up a sweat in a 12-0 victory against Metro East Lutheran in the first round of the O'Failon Sectional Sectional Collinsville girls girls girlsville g

goals in her last two games to give her 27 on the season. She is just three goals shy of breaking her own single-season mark. Siegel set the school record (29) last year as a junior.

Collinaville also for the school of the school received Cally Gavich. Angle Bluemner, Julie Sprenger and two from Mandi Camillo.

Correction

A photo in a recent edition of the Granite City Journal misidentified a member of the Granite City High School girls soccer team. The player, wearing No. 2 for the Lady Warriors, should have been identified as Amber Hubert

GCHS nipped by Bulldogs

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double play.
"We made some costly
mental mistakes," Germann
said. "We would have been up
a run going into the eighth but
then we took ourselves out of
it."

The Warriors, now at 9-12 on the season, were scheduled to play at 4:15 Friday in Collinsville.

The seedings for the eight-team regional were recently announced with Granite City being No. 6.

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SUNDAY, MAY 24

Even though the moon remains in harmony-loving Libra today, it will make a stressful aspect to active Mercury, the planet of expression, in Aries. You may feel as if those around you just don't understand, but thanks to the most supported by the control of the

progress, unless that seems of the seems of

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could sweep you off your feet now. You may change your outlook on life in a relatively short amount of time. Savor this affair while it lasts.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Sacrificing your own happiness for the wishes of friend would hurt the bond in the long run. Be honest about how you feel without overreacting. Love with fellow air signs (Libra and Aquarius) is favored. CANCER (June 22-July 22). When you are genuinely nurturing of those around you, you need not feur revealing your negative thoughts. It takes time to accrue assets — for now, just try to pay off your debt.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Some

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). People who are paid to speak on your behalf need to get a better sense of who you really art. Tell your story, or at least write it. Financial only set may stop you from investing in a venture.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). A million friends are not as important as a single good one. A romantic opportunity pops later, when you're in a better position to get involved.

Rearrange your priorities so that your lifestyle improves.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Live more in the present rather than dwelling in the past. An acquaintance has been keeping information from you for some time now. Stay out of risky instruction arrangements.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Your powers of adaptability are a fine thing to watch. Don't wait around to find out if someone will change his or her mind. People want to jump into a Irain that is already moving.

Movie schedules

Film timetable for Sunday, May 24. For times on other days or to confirm these times, check local theaters.

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vardaville, 656-6390 Odd Couple II (PG-13) 2:30, 7:30, 9:50 The Wedding Singer (PG-13) 2:15, 7:15, 9:30 As Good As It Gets (PG-13) 2:00, 7:00, 9:40

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Lost in Space (PG-13) 12:00, 2:45, 5:30, 8:15, 10:45

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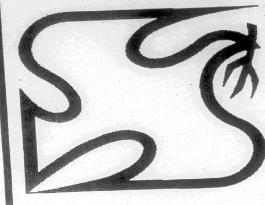
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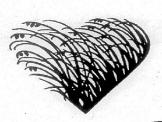
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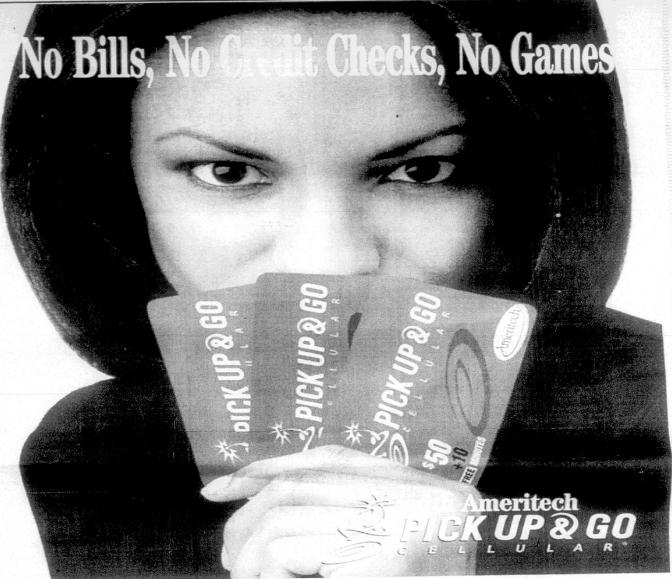
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ray College students honored May 7 at the 1998 Honors Convocation at MacMurray College, Jacksonville, Ill. A senior majoring in English, Thomas was recognized as a senior



member of Mortar Board, a national senior honor society. She is the daughter of David and Patricia Thomas of Granite City.

Fairview Heights' Sucker Drive prepares for more success By Kimberly Haas Staff writer

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ometion at three designated
locations in Fairview Heights.
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solicitation last month, limiting
Fairview Heights-based groups
to three locations with stop
signs.

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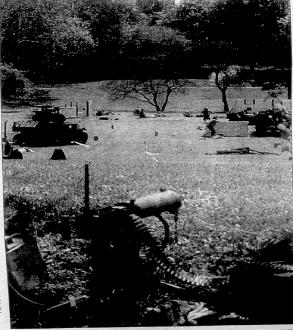






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City patriotism thrives

by scott Neily
Staff writer

As the Granite City area prepares
to celebrate Memorial Day on
Monday, the city's patriotic fervor is
in fine shape.
Last fall, Challe Romine, who
grew up in the Tri-Cities area.
Description of the Staff S

Hardees Hometown Hero last month for — what else — partiotism.

The Greater Granite City Area War Memorial and park got some special attention this year, as crews polished the fountain and planted new grass. Tomorrow at 1 p.m., wreaths will be laid and official ceremonies are planned at the park, across from St. 20. To Saturday morning, flags were placed at various veterans' graves at St. John's Cemetery, and later in the day veterans were to replace the U.S., POWMIA and the five service flags in the park.

List of the park, across the park area day appeared in the Press-Record, but in honor of the area's veterans they are appearing in the Journal. Members of the Armed Forces Museum of St. Louis and numerous area re-enactions staged a wat lefferson Barracks National Park.

Several of the museum's vehicles participated in the battle.

Harmony, cooperation hold formation of loving family

The next time you happen to see geese flying along in a "V" formation, you may be interested to learn what science has discovered about why they fly that unusual way.

It creates an uplift for the bird immediately following. By flying in a "V" formation, the whole flock adds at least 71 percent greater flying range than if each role fly flying range than if each goose gets help from the previous one, they don't get as tired or use up as much of their when they fly together than if they flew alone. Each goose gets help from the previous one, they don't get as tired or use up as much of their when they fly together than if they flew alone. Each goose gets help from the previous one, they don't get as tired or use up as much of their when they fly together than if they flew and resistance of air in trying to go it along and quickly gets back into the litting in the provided of the formation and another goose takes the lead. The geese honk from behand to keep up their speed. And if a fellow goose gets sick or is



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wounded, two geese fall out of
formation and follow the
injured bird down to help, feed
and protect it. They stay with
it until it is able to fly on its
own. Then the proup.

We human beings should pay
close attention to this valuable
and beautiful lesson. Albert
Einstein once said, "The most
important question a human
being could answer is 'is the
universe a friendly place to help
one another. The Bible says,
"Let not everyone look after
their own needs, but on the
needs of another." There is
strength built into your own
character, as you stay close in
touch with the needs of others
in your family or community.

People who share a common direction and a sense of togetherness can get where they are going quicker and easier because they are traveling on the strength of one another.

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Life is a journey. Going it alone is tough and hard. Unless we uphold each other and continually help one and the strength of the s

said.

A symphony is a beautiful thing to watch and much like life should be. As the conductor begins, each instrument is in harmony one with the other. Then a violin

begins a solo, while the other instruments create a beautiful accompaniment of background music. Then the violin fades into the background and the flute starts a solo as the other instruments accompany it. The lead and cause disharmony or walk off the stage because they are not in the lead for the moment. But they uphold each other to create beauty and form in the symphony. The musicians are much like our own family in the symphony of the stage sea and much like our own family in the symphony. The musicians are much like our own family fifth of the start of

... the Conductor. Catherine Galasso is a free-lance columnist for the Suburban Journals. You may writer to her at Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, 63131, or by nail at

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managing diabetes who want the most current information. Refreshments will be served.

Entertainment lineup set for Fair St. Louis

The entertainment lineup for this year's Fair St. Louis includes the Doobie Brothers, Chaka Kahn, Joe Walsh, Immature, Smooth, Ned Brothers, and the St. Louis Symphony O. The fair will run July 3 through 5 on the St. Louis riverfront near the Gateway Arch.

Arch. Dooble Brothers will take the stage at 2 p.m. July 3. The band released its first album in 1971 and has created hit songs such as "China Grove," "Black Water." "What a Fool Bellevess" and "Khan will perform at 8:30 p.m. July 3. Khan began her singing career with the band Rufus. In the five years she record 11 chart albums and nine Top 40 hits including "Tell Me Something Good," "Sweet Thing," and "Once You Get Started." Khan became a solo artist in the late 12 no. "Sweet Thing," and "Once You Get Started." Khan became a solo artist in the late 12 no. "July 4 with his high-flying guitar playing and distinctive vocals. Over the years, Walsh fronted the popular power trio the 2 no. "Sweet Thing up the popular power trio the 2 no. "Sweet Thing up to the Eagles at the height of the band's popularity; and scored massive hits as a solo artist. Walsh rejoined the Eagles in 1994 for the band's wildly a subsequent album, "Hell Freezes Over." Walsh currently is wrapping up his latest solo effort slated for release later this year. The Goodbye Girl," and "Sunday in the Park with George." Peters also has had memorable roles in television and filmiure and Smooth will share the stage at 2:30 p.m. July 4 with her hew album "Reality." The Goodbye Girl," and "Sunday in the Park with George." Peters also has had memorable roles in television and filmiure and Smooth will share the stage at 2:30 p.m. July 5. The trio of 16-year-olds in Immature have four hit records under their belts. The proper man also has had memorable roles in television and filmiure and Smooth will share the stage at 2:30 p.m. July 5. He is a 20-year veteran of the music industry whose recent string of hit albums and singles includes such favorites a

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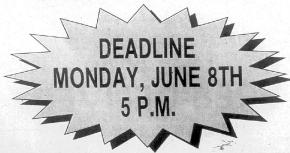
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How to keep good employees from jumping ship

Today's booming economy is making headlines and-spurring rosy predictions for the foreseeable future. One nagging question on the minds of employers is, with high of employers is, with high and an aging population, where are we going to find the workers of the future?

To address this concern, the U.S. Chamber of Commerce is working with local chambers with companies large and

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Encouraging retired people to return to the workplace.
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But with the labor market so tight, businesses cannot afford to overlook another important experience of the control of

some sound advice.

"When it comes to the workplace," says Fuller,
"there are three core values that affect whether people stay on their existing job or think about changing employers—security, fulfillment and membership."

membership."
SECURITY — According to Fuller, employees want more than simply fair compensation

They seek security in several senses of the word. Since people think long term, and are concerned about issues such as rearing children and saving for retirement, they want was security is so much more than simply keeping a position within a company. Fuller says.

FULFILLMENT — It's not just having a pleasant working environment with nice co-workers anymore. These

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Thomas J. Donohue is president and CEO of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.



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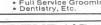
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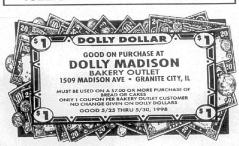


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In Service

MICHAEL WOLTERS has joined the U.S. Army under the U.S. Army Mecruit-Program at the U.S. Army Mecruit-Wolters, a 1994 graduate of Mascoutah High School, reported to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C., for basic training on April 2. He is the son of Robert and Donnlee Wolters of Mascoutah.

Air Force Airman MiCHAEL WIL-LIAMS JR. has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. Williams is the son of Mary Ann Williams of Summerfield and Michael R. Williams Sr. of Mount

Michael h. Villand Jones He is a 1997 graduate of Lebanon High School.

Marine Sgt. JEAB WHITAKER, son of George and Perachit Whitaker of O'Fallon, has completed a six-cession and Arabian Gulf with Marine All Weather Fighter Attack Squadron 251, embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS George Wash-ington.

ington.
The 1988 graduate of Mascoutah
High School joined the Marine
Corps in December 1990.

Air Force Airman 1st Class CHRIS-TOPHER WALTHER has graduated form basic military training at Lack-land Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. Waither is the son of Linda and stepson of Paul Davis of Belleville.

Air Force Master Sgt. RONALD VON THUN has received an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air

the Community College of the Air Force. Thun is chief of biomedical engineering assigned to the \$25th Medical Group at Tyndail Air Force Base, Panama City, Fia. He is the son of August Von His wife, Susan, is the daughter of Mary Winn of New Badon. The sergeant is a 1976 graduate of Futton High School.

of Futton High School.

Navy Airman JiMMIE STENIS, son of Louis Stennis-Ashford of Fairview Heights, recently returned to his home port of Norfolk, Va., after a six-month deployment to the Association of the Louis Senior of the USS Guam, the lead ship of the USS Guam Amphibious Ready Group. It is the final deployment of the ship with the ship with the ship of the Louis Senior High School of Louis Senior High School joined the Navy in January 1996.

His wife, Clara, is the daughter of Emma Kyles of East St. Louis.

Army Sqt. CHRISTIAN SMITH has been named Noncommissioned Officer of the Year. Sased on the indiSelection was marging duty performance, job knowledge, leadership qualities, significant selfimprovement and other accompiliimprovement and other accompili-

improvement and other accompilet-ments. Is a network technology specialist assigned to the activare development center at Fort Lee, Petersburg, Va. The sergeant is the son of Gioria Smith of Fairview Heights. He is a 1987 graduate of Lincoln Senior High School in East St. Lou-is.

Marine Pvt. REGINALD RICHARD, son of Harold and Gladys Brooks of Belleville, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

He is a 1995 graduate of Belleville Township High School.

Marine Lance Cpl. ANDREW RICH, son of Norman Rich of East St. Louis, recently received a Meritorious Mast.

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Rich was awarded a Meritorious Mast by his commanding officer as official recognition for superior individual performance. The award was lished throughout the command, and a copy was entered in Rich's permanent service records.

permanent service records.
The 1993 graduate of James Monroe High School of North Hills,

Calif., joined the Marine Corps in October 1996.

Navy Seaman CARL RANDOLPH, son of Ron and Cinthia, Reed of Fairwiew Heights, recently visited Thailand and Singapore while on a sixmonth deployment to the Arabian Gulf aboard the destroyer USS Russell, home ported in Pearl Harbor.

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Hawaii.

The 1995 graduate of Belleville
Township High School joined the
Navy in July 1995.

Navy Seaman Recruit Jaclyn Payne, daugher of Byron and Deborah Pomo of Fairview Heights, recently proposed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill. She is a 1996 graduate of O'Fallon Township High School.

Marine Pvt. AUTONIO MOOREHEAT, son of Stephanle Dale of Belleville, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. He is a 1997 graduate of Belle-ville East High School.

Navy Airman Apprentice CARL MIL-LENDER, son of Bobble and Carl Millender Sr. of East St. Louis, recently reported for duty with the Unit Harry S. Truman, based at Newport News, Va. The 1997 graduate of Lincoin Senior High School joined the Navy in September 1997.

in September 1997.

AMBRIDE has joined the U.S. Army under the Delayed Entry Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Belleville.

McBride, a 1996 graduate of Belleville East High School, reported to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C., for basic training May S. The recruit graduate of the Columbia school of the Columbia s

and Johna McCrie di Bellevine,
Marine Lance Cpi. Ketth MARCH,
son of Barbara March of Mascoutan, recontry participated in Exersix-month deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Guifwith the 28th Marine Expeditionary
USS Wasp Amphibious Ready
Group.
The 1986 graduate of Mascoutah
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Marine Corpa in August 1985.

Marine Lance Opi Marshall LEW-18, son of Kerry Lewis of Belleville, recently reported for duly with Headquarters and Service Battalion. Work of the Country of the Country of the Center, Ouantico, Va. The 1993 graduate of Jersey Community High School of Jersey Ville, Joined the Marine Corps in December 1997.

December 1997.

Marine 1st Lt. ESTHER JULICHER, a 1991 graduate of Mascoutah Community High School, recently was designated a naval askination 21, Naval Air Station, Kingsville, Texas.

Julicher was presented with the the cummation of months of flight training.

She joined the Marine Corps in August 1995. Julicher 1s a 1995 ton, Texas, with a bachelor of science degree.

Now Potty Officer 1st Class CUR-TISS MOFF, son of Robert and Ber-nadine Hoff of Balleville, Suppore, while on a six-month deployment to the Arabian Guir abourd the part Harbor, Hawaii. The 1976 graduate or The 1976 graduate of Balleville Township High School West, joined the Navy in March 190e.

Air Force Senior Airman CHARLES HENDERLITER has been named "Airman of the Yoar."
Selection was based on the individual's exemplary duty performance, job-knowledge, leadership qualities, significant self-improvement and other accomplishments.

improvement and other accompanies improvement and other accompanies improvement and presentation section supervisor assigned to the 39th Transportation Squadron at Inciritik Air Base, Adana, Turkey.

He is the son of George and Sharon Henderliter of Princeton.

His wife, Danniele, is the daughter of Charles Nystrom of Swansea and Dawn Rosenstrom of Oak Ridge, Tenn.
The senior airman is a 1990 graduate of Princeton High School.

Marine Ptc. DANIEL HEBERLIE, son of Michele Aye of Belleville, recently completed the basic engineer equipment operator course. The 1997 graduate of Perryville, Mo., pointed the Marine Corps in Mo., joined the Marine Corps in Mo.,

Marine Lance Cpl. CHRISTIAN HAS-SARD, son of William Hassard of Belleville, recently completed a six-month deployment to the Mediterra-nean Sea and Arabian Gulf with the embarked aboard the ships of the USS Guam Amphi

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CRYSTAL HARSHBARGER has joined the U.S. Army under the Delayed Entry Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station in Fairview

Recruiting Station in Fairview Heights.
Harshbarger, a 1991 graduate of Belleville Township West High School, reported to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C., for basic training April 10.
She is the daughter of Ronald Harshbarger of Granite City and Catherine Busch of Belleville.

Air Force Airman JEREMY HARNACK has graduated from the vehicle operations apprentice course at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, Mo.

Mo.

He is the son of Robert Harnack of Belleville.

of Balleville.
His wife, Cristy, is the daughter of Dennis and Fran Croissant of Fairview Heights.
The airman is a 1997 graduate of Belleville Township High School East.

East.

CHRISTOPHER HALVERSON of Cahoka has joined the U.S. Army and received the Army's written guarantee that he will receive training in the control of th

Cahokia.

Army Pvt. JOSHUA BUEHLHORN has praduated from the heavy-wheel production mechanic course at Fort Buehlnern is the son of Marityn and Robert S. Buehlnern of Belleville graduated from Belleville High School East in 1996. Christ BUSCH has joined the U.S. Army under the JOSEPH STATE OF THE PRODUCT O

and stepson of Chris Woods of Belinella.

at Naval Air Station, Willow Grove, "The 1979 graduate of Believille Gownship High School East of Believille Joined the Navy in Octo-ber 1981. His wife, Debra, is the daughter of Jack and Jan Siebert of Marine Pyt. PATRICK CARRON, whose wife, Cammy, is the daughter of Ronald Oliver of O'Fallon, Corps Communications, Center Operators Course. The 1997 graduate of Mount Ver-non High School of Indians Johad the Marine Corps in June 1997.

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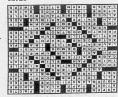
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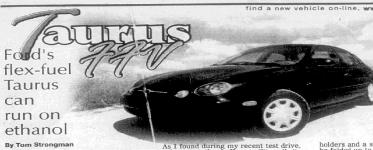
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By Tom Strongman

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In the structural pass, propane, alcohol fuel or electricity. This 'green fleet' ranges from bi-fuel, natural gas F-Series pickup trucks to the Ranger electric vehicle. In 1999, a Ranger FFV pickup will be including the Windstar minivan.

The Flexible Fuel Taurus is one of 250,000 vehicles that Ford will introduce in the U.S. over the next four years. They are part of Ford's strategy to meet the Corporate Average Fat ang go my 20,7 mpg for trucks. For each ethanol-burning vehicle built, Ford gets a credit of 1.2 mpg toward CAFE, and that in turn allows it to sell more vehicles that don't meet the standard prevent ethanol-burning vehicle built, Ford gets a credit of 1.2 mpg toward CAFE, and that in turn allows it to sell more vehicles that don't meet the standard prevent ethanol-burning vehicle built, Ford gets a credit of 1.2 mpg toward CAFE, and that in turn allows it to sell more vehicles that don't meet the standard prevent ethanol-burning vehicle built, Ford gets a credit of 1.2 mpg toward CAFE, and that in turn allows it to sell more vehicles that don't meet the standard prevent ethanol-burning to the process used to make it is sellent of the process used to make it is essentially in the process used to make it is sellent of the American Coalition for Ethanol. Because it is one-third oxygen, if has a higher octane rating than gasoline and puter care aring than gasoline and puter care aring than gasoline and puter care aring than gasoline where air quality is poor.

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Vehicles targeted in efforts to reduce global warming

By Rick Stoff

How much will the automobile be stifled by international efforts to reduce global warming?

The nations involved in the "Third Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Climate Change Convention' have determined the world's developed nations should reduce their overall emissions of "greenhouse gases" 5.2 percent from current levels in the next 10 to 12 years.

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One of the most important "greenhouse gases," so-called by the prevents solar heat from reflecting back into space, is carbon dioxide. About 15 percent of the world's carbon dioxide is produced by cars and trucks, but motor vehicles always seem to bear more than their share of the burden when it comes to cleaning up pollution.
Building cars that deliver better fuel mileage would be a big help in reducing pollution, because better mileage equates to less fuel combustion. On the producing cleaner exhaust lowers and the producing cleaner exhaust fumes.

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low-sulfur gasoline would enable more advanced catalytic converters to do a better job of producing cleaner exhaust fumes.

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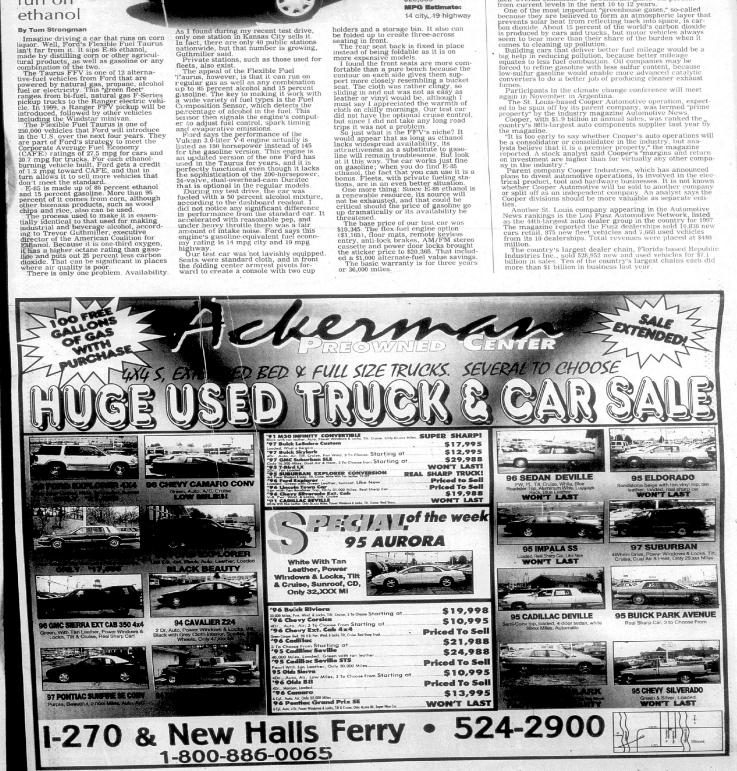
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Accordingly the property of the Automotive will be sold to another company or split off as an independent company. An analyst says the Cooper divisions should be more valuable as separate entities.

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